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MARYLAND GAZETTE.

Containing the freſheſt Advices, Foreign and Domeſtic.

WEDNESDAY, *May* 29, 1751.

From the London Evening-Poſt, of January 19.

To the Nobility, Gentry and Commonalty, of the United Kingdoms of England and Scotland, &c.

The humble Petition of the Britiſh Mariners, of and belonging to his moſt gracious Majeſty's Royal Navy, in Behalf of themſelves, their Wives, Widows, Children, and Executors; and of the Friends and Relations of all thoſe miſerable Wretches, their Brethren, who have been executed for Frauds, Robberies, &c. ſince the Concluſion of the War, moſt humbly ſheweth,

Imprimis,

THAT we your Petitioners, fill'd with the higheſt Eſteem and Affection for his Majeſty's Perſon and Government, and at the ſame Time being truly ſenſible of your Goodneſs and Humanity, do with the utmoſt Submiſſion preſume to lay before you the great Hardſhips we at preſent labour under, and the deplorable Situation to which we are reduced from the Non Payment of our Wages; as it is from you, or the moſt conſiderable Part of you, we muſt hope for Redreſs. Whether theſe long and large Arrears are owing to the ſinking State of the Finances, or to any unneceſſary Embezzlement of the public Treaſure, or to what other Cauſe, you alſo, or the moſt conſiderable Part of you, will, at your next Meeting, be able to determine.

II. We your Petitioners being credibly informed by you, or ſome of you, that as the Wealth of this Nation is founded upon Commerce, ſo the Strength and Importance of it depends upon the good Condition of the Navy, which is, and ought to be, the principal Care of thoſe, whoſe Province it is to ſteer the Helm of State: But alas! Let the Condition of our Shipping be ever ſo good, while proper Hands are wanting to work them, they will be ſet at nought by Foreigners, and look upon the Natives as uſeleſs Incumbrances: And how can it be expected that any able bodied Seaman ſhould chearfully hazard his Life, and waſte the beſt of his Days on the mercileſs Ocean in the Service of his King and Country; when if he ſhould have the good Fortune to eſcape Danger, he is ſure to be deprived of the juſt Reward of his Toil? When he beholds the Reſources of national Wealth ariſing from Navigation and Induſtry, become every Day more and more precarious, and a very uſeful Part of the Nation made Slaves, that the other may be Lords?

III. Your Petitioners likewiſe beg Leave to relate one ſhocking Circumſtance, which they themſelves have lately obſerved, namely, That there ſeems to be a Conſpiracy among certain Perſons againſt their whole Fraternity. Such a Scorn has been manifeſted for their Perſons, ſuch Contempt for their Complaints and Remonſtrances, ſuch Meaſures have been apparently taken to diſtreſs them, that they begin to look upon themſelves to be totally neglected, or purpoſely diſcountenanced and impugned. Add to this the long Journeys many of them are obliged to make, their tedious Attendance to no Purpoſe, and being at laſt compell'd to ſell their Tickets at leſs than half the Value, which they look upon to be ſuch ſignal Inſtances of Oppreſſion, as make them imagine they are of the Tribe of Iſſachar, typified by the Aſs couching between two Burdens, namely, Slavery and Poverty.

IV. We your Petitioners, ſeriouſly reflecting upon the immenſe Treaſure which was brought into theſe Kingdoms thro' our Means during the late War, and duly conſidering how much our common Enemies were diſtreſſed thereby, had the ſtrongeſt Reaſon to hope, not only for the prompt Payment of our Wages, but alſo for our ſeveral and reſpective Shares of ſuch Prizes, as were granted to us by his moſt gracious Majeſty's Royal Proclamation before the Commencement of the ſaid War, that our Courage might be excited for the Honour of the Britiſh Nation, by the pleaſing Proſpect of bettering our Fortunes if we happen'd to ſurvive. But alas! We now find, tho' too late, that theſe were only Golden Dreams, and that his Majeſty's magnanimous Intentions are fruſtrated by his Subordinates. For many of us are deprived of a Part, and not a few of our whole Prize Money, by the Fraud and Artifices of our C—mm—d—rs; nor can we ſo much as obtain our ſtipulated Pay for immediate Subſiſtence.

V. Your Petitioners muſt once more beg your Patience, while they expatiate a little further upon the Particulars which have been ſo long complain'd of, and ſo evidently require the ſpeedy Redreſs. And here we are unwillingly oblig'd to open a Scene that would move the Millſtone Heart of a Tyrant to Compaſſion. We are ſhock'd with Horror to ſee ſuch Numbers of our Fraternity lie ſtarving in the ſeveral Priſons throughout this Kingdom for Debt, whoſe gallant Behaviour on another Element, entitled them to a much better Fate. We are ſtruck with deep Remorſe at the miſerable Condition of many of our Wives and Daughters, who have turn'd common Proſtitutes for Want of Suſtenance. We mourn the Loſs of Numbers of our Children, who have periſh'd with Hunger! We are grieved to the Heart for the ignominious Deaths of many of our Fellow-Sufferers, who, driven into Deſpair through mere Neceſſity, have run headlong into Male-Practice, purely to keep themſelves from ſtarving, and made their Exits at the Gallows, &c. All which Miſchiefs had been prevented, could they have enjoy'd their reſpective Properties, and received in due Time the juſt Reward of their Labours.

Laſtly, We your Petitioners moſt humbly hoping that theſe our Grievances will be look'd upon as Grievances of no ſmall Importance, but as require the joint Concurrence of the whole Kingdom to reſtify, have therefore implored the Aſſiſtance of every Individual therein; being taught to believe that no well meaning Member of the Community, if the Increaſe of public Happineſs claims the leaſt Part of his Attention, will be ſilent or indolent on this melancholy Occaſion.

And your Petitioners, as in Duty bound, ſhall ever pray, &c.

Jan. 15. *The* BRITISH SEAMEN.

Laſt Friday arrived in South *River, the* Peggy and Nancy, *Capt.* Iſaac Johns, *from* London, *by whom we have the melancholy Account of the Death of our late moſt valuable Prince* FREDERICK, *on the* 20*th of* March *laſt.*

LONDON, March 23.

WE hear that his Royal Highneſs's Illneſs was firſt occaſioned by taking Cold in Kew Gardens about three Weeks ſince, and being increaſed by coming on Tueſday ſe'nnight from the Houſe of Peers, when extremely warm, with the Windows of the Chair down, he was ſeized with a Pleuriſy; and as his Highneſs was judged in too weak a State to bear farther Bleeding, he was immediately bliſtered, and thought to be in a fair Way of Recovery till Wedneſday Night laſt at Nine o'Clock; when we can aſſure the Public, from undoubted Authority, that his Royal Highneſs thought himſelf pretty well; but about a Quarter before Ten he was ſeized with a Pain in his Breaſt; upon which he expreſſed he had never felt any Thing like it before; and complained that he perceived an unuſual Smell, like that of a dead Corpſe; he then immediately threw himſelf back and expired, to the great Aſtoniſhment and Grief of his moſt excellent Princeſs, who was preſent,

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and who had constantly attended him during his Illness, tho' advised to the contrary by her Physicians on account of her Condition; an Instance this of conjugal Affection not to be wondered at, when we consider the amiable Character of the Princess, and the inestimable Loss she must be sensible of, not only to herself, but to the whole Kingdom; whose real Sorrow sympathizes with her Royal Highness on this melancholy Occasion.

The Corpse of his Royal Highness the Prince of Wales is attended every Day by one of the Lords of his Bedchamber, and a Groom of the Bedchamber, and every Night by two Grooms of the Bedchamber.

Yesterday the Corpse of his Royal Highness was put in a Leaden Coffin, and soldered up.

We hear that Addresses of Condolance will very speedily be presented by the Houses of Lords and Commons to his Majesty on the late melancholy Occasion.

At the Council Chamber, Whitehall, the 22d Day of March, 1750.

PRESENT,

Archbishop of Canterbury,	Lord Anson,
Lord Chancellor,	Mr. Comptroller,
Archbishop of York,	Mr. Vice Chamberlain,
Lord President,	Mr. Chancellor of the Exchequer,
Lord Privy Seal,	Lord Chief Justice Lee,
Lord Chamberlain,	Master of Rolls,
Duke of Bedford,	Lord Chief Justice Willes,
Duke of Queensberry,	Horatio Walpole, Esq;
Duke of Atholl,	Sir William Younge,
Duke of Newcastle,	Sir John Rushout,
Earl of Sandwich,	George Doddington, Esq;
Earl of Cholmondeley,	William Pitt, Esq;
Earl of Halifax,	Henry Fox, Esq;
Earl of Buckinghamshire,	Henry Legge, Esq;
Lord Delawar,	Sir Thomas Robinson.
Lord Cornwallis,	
Lord Sandys,	

Whereas in the Act of Uniformity, which establishes the Liturgy of the Church of England, Provision is made for such Alterations in the Prayers for the Royal Family, as from Time to Time shall become necessary, and be directed by lawful Authority: It is thereupon this Day ordered in Council, That in the Morning and Evening Prayers, in the Litany, and in all other Parts of the public Service, as well in the occasional Offices in the Book of Common Prayer, where the Royal Family is appointed to be particularly prayed for, the following Form and Order shall be observed.

Their Royal Highnesses the Princess of Wales, the Duke, the Princesses, the Issue of the Prince and Princess of Wales, and all the Royal Family.

And it is hereby further ordered, That no Edition of the Common Prayer be from henceforth printed, but with this Amendment; and that in the mean Time, till Copies of such Edition may be had, all Parsons, Vicars, and Curates, within this Realm, do (for the preventing of Mistakes) with the Pen, correct and amend all such Prayers in their Church Books, according to the aforegoing Direction: And for the better Notice hereof, That this Order be forthwith printed and published, and sent to the several Parishes; and that the Right Reverend the Bishops do take Care, that Obedience be paid to the same accordingly. William Sharpe.

Lord Chamberlain's Office, the 23d of March, 1750[51].

Orders for the Court's going into Mourning on Sunday the 31st Instant, for his late Royal Highness the Prince of Wales; viz.

The Ladies to wear Black Bombazine, Plain Muslin, or Long Lawn, Crape Hoods, Shamoy Shoes and Gloves, and Crape Fans.

Undressed, Dark Norwich Crape.

The Men to wear Black Cloth, without Buttons on their Sleeves or Pockets, Plain Muslin, or Long Lawn Cravats and Weepers, Shamoy Shoes and Gloves, Crape Hatbands, and Black Swords and Buckles.

a Undressed, Dark Grey Frocks.

By an Act of Parliament of the 10th of his present Majesty, Revenue of 50,000 l. per Annum was settled on her Royal Highness the Princess of Wales for Life, in Case she survives the Prince, to be paid quarterly, by even and equal Portions, and the first Payment takes place this Day. Four Fifths of this Annuity is to be paid out of the Revenues of the Post Office, and the other Fifth out of the hereditary Duties of Excise, except from all Fees, Taxes, and Charges whatsoever.

His late Royal Highness was the Eighteenth Prince of Wales of the English Blood Royal, and the only one since Edward the Black Prince, who died in his Father's Life-time, and left a Son to succeed him.

The eldest Son of a King, if born while his Father is on the Throne, is, by Birth, Duke of Cornwall, and Earl of Chester and Flint; but Prince of Wales by Creation.

As the Motto ICH DIEN used with the Ostrich's Feathers, worn by the Princes of Wales ever since the Year 1346, the 20th of Edward III. has been misunderstood by several Persons, a particular Account how this Crest and Motto was obtained, may be no disagreeable Amusement.

Edward the Black Prince having at the Battle of Cressy conquered the French, and their Ally the King of Bohemia, who was killed in that Engagement, his Coronet and Standard (bearing the aforesaid Crest and Motto) was presented to the Prince of Wales, who, in Memory of that great Victory ever after used those *Insignia*, and have been continued by all his Successors; and the Motto, ICH DIEN, are two German Words signifying *I serve*, as the King of Bohemia this Day literally did under the French King; the Welch Language, which some have very unluckily derived it from, not being, as we conceive, ever spoke or understood in Bohemia.

We are well assured that his Majesty was pleased, on Saturday last, to write another very affectionate Letter with his own Hand to her Royal Highness the Princess of Wales: And the great Tenderness his Majesty expresses on this Occasion, can only be equalled by the extream Affliction of her Royal Highness on this unhappy Occasion.

Notwithstanding the various Reports with which the Public has been alarmed concerning the Princess of Wales, we can with the utmost Satisfaction assure them, that her Royal Highness is in as perfect a State of Health as can be supposed in her present Condition: And that, notwithstanding the Report of her Royal Highness's retiring to Kew, her Royal Highness still continues at Leicester House.

Last Night the Bowels of his late Royal Highness were carried in a Coach from Leicester House, attended by the Master of Horse to his late Royal Highness, and a Lord of the Bedchamber, preceded by another Coach, in which were two Gentlemen Ushers, and deposited in a Vault under Henry the Seventh's Chapel.

March, 26. We are assured that the Stewards of the Feast of the Sons of the Clergy, on Occasion of the melancholy Loss of his Royal Highness the Prince of Wales, have postponed the Rehearsal of their Music till Tuesday the 30th of April, and their Feast till Thursday the 2d of May.

It's generally said his late Royal Highness the Prince of Wales got a Blow on his Side with a Ball about two Years ago playing at Cricket, which Diversion he was fond of, and which thought was the Occasion of his Death, having a Bag near as Inches long, down his Side, full of Corruption.

We hear his Royal Highness the Prince of Wales, two Days before he was taken ill, offered 500 l. a Year for the Encouragement of an Academy of Painting and Sculpture, which was going to be established here; and that Exeter Exchange was intended to be taken until a House could be built for that Purpose.

The prodigious Croud of Coaches and Chariots yesterday for several Hours together, between Temple Bar and Ludgate, occasioned by People of Fashion coming into the City to buy Mourning, was more remarkable than any Thing of the Kind ever remembered.

BOSTON, May 2.

By Letters and Passengers by Captain Fones, we are informed, that the Sum of 120,000 l. was granted by Parliament for carrying on the Settlement of Nova Scotia: That the Bills drawn by Governor Cornwallis were ordered to be paid: And that Captain John Winslow was raising Recruits for the Garrison of Annapolis Royal.

We hear from the Eastward, that two Men (Newton and Jones) suppos'd to have murder'd some Men in Maryland, were last Week apprehended at George's River, and secured in York Prison. They came lately in a Vessel from Philadelphia, and were discovered by a Person who knew them. 'Tis said one has confess'd the Fact.

NEW-YORK, *May* 13.

Capt. Grigg, who arrived here about 10 Days ago, from Turks Island, informs us, That about four Days before he arrived there, a Spanish Privateer, (or rather Pyrate) had been there, and had taken and carried off two English Vessels, one a Sloop, Capt. Dickenson, from Bermuda, the other a South Carolina Man;———and that the People were all in Expectation of another Visit.

ANNAPOLIS.

We are informed that the Surveyors, employed in running the Line between this Province and *Pennsylvania*, had got within Four Miles of *Nanticoke* River on Monday last.

Friday Evening last we had a pretty severe Thunder Gust. The Lightning struck the Mast of Capt. *Malcolm*'s Sloop in this Town, but did no great Damage.

Capt. *James Hall*, from *London*, is arrived in *Patuxent*; and it is reported that Capt. *Creagh* is arrived in *Potowmack*.

We hear from *Baltimore* County, that at the Election there Yesterday, of two Members to serve for that County in the Room of Capt. *Lux*, deceased, and Major *Sheredine* their present Sheriff, Mr. *John Matthews*, and Mr. *Walter Tolley*, were chosen by a considerable Majority.

Yesterday Afternoon, his Excellency the Governor passed into a Law, a Bill which had been prepared, and assented to, by both Houses of Assembly, Entituled, *An Act to prevent the Sale of Trashy Tobacco*, which is to take Place on To-morrow, the 30th Instant: And a Number of Copies are ordered immediately to be Printed, and dispers'd throughout the Province.

ADVERTISEMENTS.

ARRACK, CITRON WATER, LONDON PORTER in Cask, VINEGAR, CYDER, CHESHIRE and GLOCESTERSHIRE CHEESE, *&c.* to be Sold by the Subscriber.

DANIEL WOLSTENHOLME.

TO BE SOLD,

A LIKELY, strong Negro Girl, about 16 Years of Age, fit for Plantation Work, or very capable of making a good House Wench, having for some Months served as such in a small Family. For further Particulars, Enquire of the Printer hereof. Wm. Meighan

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ALL Persons who are indebted to the Estate of Mr. *William Ford*, late of *Anne Arundel* County, deceased, are desired to come and pay off their respective Ballances. And all Persons who have any Demands on the said Estate, are desired to come and receive their Pay.

SAMUEL FORD, Executor.

IN Pursuance of a late Act of Assembly, Notice is hereby given, That there is at the Plantation of *William Orford*, in *Frederick* County, taken up as a Stray, a young Iron Grey Horse, branded on the near Shoulder and Buttock I D.

The Owner may have him again, on proving his Property, and paying Charges.

IN Pursuance of a late Act of Assembly, Notice is hereby given, That there is at the Plantation of *Bourton Linthicum*, at the Head of *South* River, in *Anne-Arundel* County, taken up as a Stray, a small Black Horse, branded on the near Buttock, high up thus g I.

The Owner may have him again, on proving his Property, and paying Charges.

IN Pursuance of a late Act of Assembly, Notice is hereby given, That there is at the Plantation of *Simon Wilmer*, in *Kent* County, taken up as a Stray, a small Dun Horse, branded on the near Buttock O, paces slow, and is a Ridgling.

The Owner may have him again, on proving his Property, and paying Charges.

To be Sold, Hired by the Month, or otherwise,

A NEW Schooner, carrying about 60 Hogsheads of Tobacco, or the Quantity of 2000 Bushels of Corn, well fitted for the *West-India*, or Bay Trade. Any Person wanting such a Vessel, may be informed, by applying to the Subscriber, living in *Dorchester* County, upon reasonable Terms. 1

HENRY TRAVERS.

WHEREAS the Managers for the Lottery at *Belhaven*, for raising Six Hundred and Ninety Pounds, for building a Church and Market-House in the said Town, have met with considerable Hindrance from the Surmises and base Insinuations of some ill disposed Persons, so that they are apprehensive the same will not be filled by the Time first appointed for Drawing; and, being unwilling to disappoint the Gentlemen and Ladies who may desire to be present, they have determined to defer the Drawing thereof 'til the third Monday in *November* next; against which Time all possible Care and Diligence will be used to compleat the same; but, if their Endeavours are then frustrated, they take this Method of informing the Adventurers, That all Persons who either have or shall take Tickets to promote so good a Design, shall have their Money restored to them without Distinction, or any Trouble to themselves: They also beg Leave to assure the Public, That the Whole will be conducted with strict Justice and Impartiality, without any sinister Views whatever. 2

WANTED,

A Young Man well recommended, that understands the Business of keeping a Store, and is acquainted with Accounts. By applying to the Printer hereof, they may know further. 2

IN Pursuance of a late Act of Assembly, Notice is hereby given, That there is at the Plantation of *Neale Clark*, at the Fork of *Patuxent* River, in *Anne-Arundel* County, taken up as a Stray, a middle-siz'd Horse, branded on the near Shoulder and Buttock I T, and has formerly had a Fistula. X 2

The Owner may have him again, on proving his Property, and paying Charges.

IN Pursuance of a late Act of Assembly, Notice is hereby given, That there is at the Plantation of *Robert Bradley*, in *Prince George's* County, near *Upper-Marlborough*, taken up as a Stray, an old Dark Bay Horse, branded on both Thighs thus I, the Tops of the Letters being joined together, by a strait Line, three Saddle Spots, and a white Nose. X 2

The Owner may have him again, on proving his Property, and paying Charges.

IN Pursuance of a late Act of Assembly, Notice is hereby given, That there is at the Plantation of *Edward Owen*, taken up as a Stray, a Black Gelding, about 13 Hands high, branded on his off Shoulder, but not so plain as to discern what Letters, has no Flesh Marks, about 7 Years old, and had a Bell on, mark'd HM, (joined together). X 2

The Owner may have him again, on proving his Property, and paying Charges.

IN Pursuance of a late Act of Assembly, Notice is hereby given, That there is at the Plantation of *Wallis Ballentine*, in *Charles* County, taken up as a Stray, a small Dark Bay Gelding, about 12 Years old, has a white Face, a little white upon the Top of the hind Hooffs, Switch Tail, the Hair from the Rump half down, lately cut short. 2

The Owner may have him again, on proving his Property and paying Charges.

JUST PUBLISHED,

And to be SOLD by the Printer hereof, (Price 1*s.* 6*d.)*

THE CHARTER of the PROVINCE of *MARYLAND*, granted by his late Majesty King *CHARLES*, the First, to CÆCILIUS, Lord Baron of *Baltimore*, in the Year 1632. X

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THE Subſcriber intending to break up Houſe-keeping, will either Rent or Sell his Dwelling Houſe in Town, which is 65 Feet in length, and 21 Feet in breadth, to which is a good Cellar, Garden, and all neceſſary Out Houſes, delightfully ſituated, near a good Landing, ſo that no Veſſel can paſs up or down the Bay but may be fairly viewed from the lower Story, and is well finiſhed and in good Repair outſide and inſide, and would ſuit any Gentleman, either in a public or private Way of Buſineſs.

Any Perſon inclining to purchaſe or rent the ſaid Houſe may apply to SIMON DUFF.

BY the Subſcriber (lately from GREAT-BRITAIN), Buildings of all Sorts and Dimenſions are undertaken and performed in the neateſt Manner, (and at the cheapeſt Rates), either of the Ancient or Modern Order of *Gibbs*'s Architect, and if any Gentlemen ſhould want Plans, Bills of Scantling, or Bills of Charges, for any Fabric, or Public Edifice, may have them by applying to the Subſcriber at Major *John Buſhrod*'s, at *Weſtmoreland* County, *Virginia*, where may be ſeen a great Variety, and ſundry Draughts of Building in Miniature, and alſo ſome Buildings near finiſhed, after the Modern Taſte.

JOHN ARISS.

STRAYED from *Annapolis*, on the 11th of *April* laſt, a ſmall Black Horſe, branded on the near Shoulder and Buttock, but the Brand forgot, has a ſmall Star in his Forehead, a Snip on his Noſe, a hanging Mane, and Switch Tail, a natural Pacer, and was bred in *Calvert* County, and had when he ſtray'd a Horſe Lock on his near fore Foot.

Whoever takes up the ſaid Horſe, and brings him to *Annapolis*, ſhall have Ten Shillings Reward, paid by

ANDREW BUCHANAN.

THE Subſcriber intending ſoon to depart this Province for GREAT-BRITAIN, deſires all Perſons who have any Demands on him to bring in their Accounts, that they may be paid. And all thoſe who are indebted to him, are requeſted to make ſpeedy Payment, and thereby prevent Trouble to themſelves, and SAMUEL ROUNDELL.

TO BE SOLD,

A LOT containing one Acre, lying in *Fairfax* County, *Virginia*, on *Great Hunting* Creek, at a Place commonly known by the Name of *Cameron*, within two Miles of *Potowmack* River, convenient to two Landings upon the ſaid Creek, in the Center of four very public Roads, leading up and down the Country, and exceedingly well ſituated for Trade, upon which is a Dwelling-Houſe, Twenty-ſix Feet ſquare, commodious, and neatly finiſh'd off, with a Cellar, the ſame Dimenſions of a Brick Wall, Seven Feet deep, a Kitchen Twenty four Feet long and Eighteen wide, a Store Houſe Twenty four Feet ſquare, in which is a Counting Room Twelve Feet by Sixteen, with a Diviſion in the back Part, Twenty four Feet by Eight, Brick Chimneys to the Whole, and Weather boarded with Plank, a Garden One Hundred and Forty four Feet ſquare, with all convenient Out Houſes, and the Whole paled in, after the beſt Manner; likewiſe to be ſold, lying within Half a Mile of the ſaid Buildings, a Tract of Land containing Five Hundred and Seventy-five Acres, very well timber'd, and good Ground, ſufficient to work ſeveral Hands; upon applying to the Subſcriber, at his Houſe in *Cameron*, may know the Terms; and Twelve Months Credit will be given on good Security, JOHN PAGAN.

Port-Tobacco, April 22, 1751.

THE Subſcriber intending for *England*, ſome Time next Fall, deſires all Perſons indebted to him to come and pay off their reſpective Ballances: And all thoſe to whom he is indebted, either on the Accounts of Meſſieurs PETER and JOHN FEARON, Merchants, in *London*, or his own, are deſired to bring in their Accounts, and they ſhall be diſcharged by GEORGE CLARK.

RAN away from the Subſcriber, living near *Annapolis*, on the 18th of *March* laſt, an *Iriſh* Convict Servant Man, named *Peter Roſs*, a Blackſmith by Trade, about 5 Feet 10 Inches high, has a Scar on the left Side of his Noſe, juſt at the End, another over his right Eye, and has ſhort black Hair; Had on when he went away, a lightiſh colour'd Half-thick Pea Jacket, blue Broad Cloth Jacket, and a coarſe Flannel ditto, a Pair of blue Breeches, a Pair of blue Worſted Stockings, and an Iron Collar. He was ſeen ſome Time ago in *Virginia*. Whoever takes up the ſaid Servant and ſecures him in any Goal, and gives Notice thereof to his Maſter, ſhall have Two Piſtoles Reward.

CORNELIUS HOWARD.

ABOUT the 20th of *December* laſt, one Mr. *Chamberlain*, of *St. Mary's* County, was here in Town, and had a likely Negro Man about 22 Years of Age to wait on him; from this Place he went Part of the *Patapſco* Road, and turn'd off and went to *Frederick* Town in *Frederick* County, where he was taken ſick the Night he got there, and died at Mr. *Simm*'s five Days after; but the Negro was not with him, and is ſuppoſed to be ſold. Now this is to requeſt any one who can, to acquaint the Printer hereof, or Capt. *De Butts* in *Frederick* County, to whom he was ſold, for what Sum, and how much was paid at Delivery, and they ſhall be thankfully rewarded for their Information.

TO BE SOLD,

A Very valuable Tract of Land lying within 10 Miles of *Frederick* Town in *Frederick* County, containing 500 Acres, about 200 of which is fine low Land fit for Meadow or any other Uſe, being very rich and good; the other 300 Acres being good Upland, well timber'd, and water'd with good Springs, ſuitable for Corn, Wheat or Tobacco. The Title indiſputable. A fine Stream of Water runs through the Tract, which would ſupply a good Mill. Any Perſon wanting to purchaſe, may know the Terms by applying to Capt. *Robert De Butts* at *Frederick* Town, or the Printer hereof at *Annapolis*.

FOUND, on *Kent Iſland*, ſome Time ago, by one of Mr. *Hutchings*'s Lads, A Hanger partly mounted with Silver. It has been kept ever ſince in expectation of the Owner's enquiring after it at the Provincial Court; but as Nobody has made Enquiry about it as yet, it is now given to the Printer of this Paper, of whom the Owner may have it again, on proving his Property, and paying the Charge of this Adverſiſement.

THE Subſcriber intending for *London*, this Summer, deſires all Perſons indebted to him, to come, ſettle, and pay off their Accounts; which will ſave Trouble, and oblige,

Their humble Servant,

LANCELOT JACQUES.

N. B. Said *Jacques*, has a very good and large Aſſortment of Goods, which he would ſell together, or any ſmall Aſſortment, at a very cheap Rate, as he is about to leave the Country.

TO BE SOLD by the Subſcriber,

THE following Tracts of Land, lying in *Frederick* County, *viz.*

One Tract, called *Friendſhip*, containing 400 Acres.
One Tract, called *Gordon's Purchaſe*, containing 150 Acres.
One Tract, called *Exchange*, containing 700 Acres.

Alſo a Leaſe for three Lives of a Tract of Land, called *Fountain Rock Marſh*, containing 500 Acres, being Part of his Lordſhip's Manor, lying in the ſaid County, paying a yearly Quit-Rent of Fifty Shillings Sterling.

Any Perſon or Perſons inclining to Purchaſe, may be informed of the Title and Terms of Sale, by applying to *George Gordon* at *Rock-Creek*, in the ſaid County, or to the Subſcriber,

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